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**Hollyhock Bonds.**

We publish the notice of the supervisors of the town of Hollyhock, for an election on the 25th day of July, on the narrow gauge railroad proposition. The proposition looks to the issue of \$6,000 in bonds. For further particulars see notice.

**A Tornado**

Mr. Smith of Wagonia, informs us that a very violent storm, something resembling a tornado, visited the Krasne neighborhood some five miles from Wagonia, on the Watertown road last Friday evening, at about 8 o'clock, doing the following damage:

Herman Krasne suffered the loss of his barn, which was entirely blown down and destroyed. His fence was also almost blown down and much damage done to some 20 acres of heavy timber.

Mr. Krasne and another son also suffered by having a stable dismantled and by having the roof of a dwelling house blown off.

A Mr. Stockmann of Wagonia township, also had his frame barn entirely destroyed.

Louis Hahn of the same neighborhood, also suffered a like loss. The damage is considerable and will require much work on the part of these persons to repair the damage done by this storm.

A very severe hail storm also visited the vicinity of Wagonia village on the same morning, and doing slight damage to the crops.

**MEXICO'S REVOLUTION.**

1821. The independence of Mexico declared.

1825. First congress assembled.

1829. Guerrero being President, Bustamante, commanding the army, induces his soldiers to declare him President, and compels Guerrero to abdicate. Santa Anna takes the same game on Bustamante, and is chosen declared President of the army. Three Presidents governed with little lightening until

1836. State Government were published by revolution and Santa Anna made President. Santa Anna's dictatorship was revealed. Santa Anna's defeat at San Jacinto having deprived him of power.

1838. Mexico revolutionized; had an republican constitution; the French, who blockaded Vera Cruz; Santa Anna drives off the French.

1839. Federalists, led by Urrea, revolution.

1841. Revolution by Santa Anna, who is made Dictator, and banishes Bustamante.

1842. Junta of Nobles revolution against Santa Anna and form the Republic.

1843. New constitution adopted. Catholic religion and apostolic creed to exclusion of all other religion.

1844. Revolution by Paredes, Santa Anna deposed and Herrera made President by Congress.

1845. Santa Anna banished and Herrera elected President. Santa Anna made Provisional President. War with the United States in progress.

1847. Americans victorious; Santa Anna flees and Pecos is made President pro tem.

1848. Peace made with the United States.

1849. Arista elected President.

1849. General revolution.

1850. Arista resigns and Santa Anna made Dictator.

1851. Revolution led by Alvarez; Santa Anna abdicates.

1855. Carrera made President, resigns, and Alvarez is made Dictator.

1856. Commonfort heads a movement against the church, is elected President, and sequesters property of the clergy.

1857. Commonfort is deposed.

1858. Zuloaga is made President, but is obliged to abdicate.

1859. Miramon makes himself President but is speedily deposed.

1860. Zuloaga again made President.

1860. Revolution headed by Miramon.

1861. Juarez elected President, and declares himself Dictator. The French invasion, and Juarez, Lerdo and Diaz have kept things lively since 1861.

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**A. L. DU TOIT & CO., Proprietors.**

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**CHASKA, MINNESOTA, THURSDAY, JULY 5 1877.**

**TERMS, \$1.50 Per Annum.**

**NUMBER 46**

**Watertown Items.**

Extensive preparations are in progress today, the (2nd) on the Catholic picnic grounds, for a grand time on the glorious Fourth. The eagle, will of course spread himself and screen, on the occasion, if the weather permits. A variety of entertainments is on the programme that will prove attractive.

Of late there has appeared at this place a number of sorrowful looking pedestrians in search of employment, who from pure necessity, have been compelled to leave their farms to the ravages of the hoppers, and accept of any work, whereby, to gain a livelihood.

The rain and hail storm of Saturday last, was somewhat violent at this place for a short time, however no damage from the effects, as was the case in surrounding localities, in the destruction of buildings, fences, &c.

The firm of Warta and Moebius have just completed three first class spring wagons, made to order. The workmanship is meritorious of patronage, in all respects, Mr. C. Kohler, purchases one, which will add to his livery accommodations.

The White Shirts, a few days since received a challenge from the Champions of Shakopee, to play a match game of ball at their grounds, but from the many provisos presented, necessary to meet the conveniences of the champions, the challenge was not accepted, although, the Watertown boys would be pleased to entertain the Shakopee nine, at this place, and would doubtless amuse them, on the diamond field.

The Watertown, H. & L. Co. in costume with their beautiful truck, equipments, &c. paraded the streets Monday evening; also considered their first practice, the exercises were highly exciting, and one fireman blustered his hand to the writers certain knowledge. A vote of thanks was extended to the ladies of this place for valuable services rendered in preparing the suits.

**INTOLERANCE AND ROWDYISM.**

If there is any thing disgusting and despicable, and in the same time, damnable, it is intolerance and rowdyism so often provided by it. When we consider that in this country twenty greater political and religious liberty, which they knew both warranted to them by the institutions of this country, and by the native born Americans, it is really distressing to observe that particularly by them, or at least in their midst, acts of fanatical prosecution are committed, while such outrages are almost entirely unheard of in purely American settlements. It is with such sad reflections that we learned of the lately, and even repeatedly committed indignities upon Mr. F. Schult, in our sister town of Carver, and indeed we felt a burning shame when we remembered that such barbarities could have occurred in a mainly German community. Admitting, for arguments sake, that the lectures of Mr. Schult did not please, or were in opposition to the opinions of others, we know that they were inoffensive and entirely free of personalities, and that his manners and behavior were refined and gentlemanly; were then those who threatened his life and tarred his house, nor aware that they offended an innocent man, committed an illegal outrage and injured by their brutality their own cause? Did they never consider that blows and insults are poor arguments? That they made themselves liable to severe penalties and incurred the displeasure and contempt of all well meaning, law abiding and impartial citizens of whatever nationality or religious convictions?

Many friends of Dr. F. Schult, Chaska, June 16th, 1877.

John Kerker, Wm. Seger, Sr.

W. C. Brodenhagen, W. Ackermann.

Carl Bachmann, Edward Goetz.

Julius Schaler, Julius Martin.

**MORE OF CIVIL SERVICE REFORM.**

WASHINGTON, June 23.—The President to day addressed the following circular letter to all prominent Federal officers throughout the country:

Executive Mansion, Washington, June 23rd, 1877.—Sir: I desire to call your attention to the following paragraph in a letter addressed by me to the Secretary of the Treasury on the conduct to be observed by officers of the general government in relation to elections: "No officers should be required or permitted to take part in the management of political organizations, caucuses, conventions, or election campaigns. Their right to vote and to express their views on public questions, either orally or through the press, is not denied provided it does not interfere with the discharge of their official duties. No assessments for political purposes on officers or subordinates should be allowed. This rule is applicable to every department of the civil service. It should be understood by every officer of the general government that he is expected to conform his conduct to its requirements." Very respectfully,

(Signed) R. B. HAYES.

**NOTICE.**

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN. All persons indebted to the undersigned are hereby requested to call and settle and pay up their book accounts, notes due and interest due on Mortgages and notes before the 1st of October next.

Goods of all kinds will be sold the next 60 days at cost for cash. Farm produce taken in exchange for goods at reasonable prices.

A. C. LASSEN.

**NOTICE.**

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a writ of attachment, I have attached all the books of accounts, and credits of John Dols, and all persons owing the said John Dols are requested to settle the same within 30 days at the office of Baxter & Child.

Dated May 2nd, 1877.

L. W. NOBLES, Constable.

**Builder.**

Nick Roers is now ready to take contracts for buildings. Work by the day or contract.

**Scarcity of Money.**

There is no doubt but the present condition of all kinds of business and industry is fearfully depressed, and it behooves every family to look carefully to their expenses. Winter is coming on when children are liable to Croup, Whooping Cough, etc. Coughs and Colds will prevail everywhere, and Consumption, with other throat and lung diseases, will carry off many. These diseases should not be neglected. Doctor's bills are expensive, and we would advise our people to use Doan's Kidney Syrup. It never fails. One bottle at 75 cents will keep your whole family well during the winter. Two doses will relieve any case. Sold in all towns in the United States, and your Druggist, Joe. Franken.

**Chaska Bakery,**

AND

Confectionary.

On 2nd St.

Gottlieb Eder.

Goetz has undertaken to sell all articles wanted in my line of business.

GOTTIEB EDER.

**New Furniture Store.**

OF

**JOHN DOLS,**

(IN HERALD BLOCK.)

CHASKA, MINN.

177 Register promptly attended to. All work guaranteed and charges reasonable.

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**FRED THEOBALD.**

Wholesale Dealer in

**Liquors & Wines,**

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**RHINE WINES,**

37 Third St., between Exchange and Engle Streets.

St. Paul, MINN.

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**MERCHANT TAILOR.**

WAGONIA, MINN.

The undersigned is now prepared to do all work in this line, according to the latest style. Ready made clothing also kept on hand. Give me a call.

**The North American.**

**Lightning Rods**

In use since 1849 gave satisfaction in every case. The strongest and best now in use.

For sale by FRED HILTS, Chaska.

**AUCTIONEER.**

**JERRY EHLMAN.**

LAKETOWN, MINN.

I hereby offer my service to the citizen Carver County as a public auctioneer, to attend all sales in any part of the county, either English or German, and at rates.

**JOHN FRANK & CO.,**

**Merchant Tailors,**

Shakopee, Minn.

The undersigned are now prepared to do all work in their line according to the latest style. A full line of cloths, gents furnishing goods &c. constantly on hand. Give us a call and we guarantee a bargain.

**JOHN FRANK & CO.**

**MEATMARKET**

**BY HENRY GEHL.**

At Chaska and Carver.

Keeps constantly on hand all kinds of fresh meat and sausage of the best quality.

Highest market price paid for fat cattle, calves, sheep and pork. Farmers if you have any let me know.

W. SUEPKE.

H. SUEPKE.

A. MEYER.

**HARD TIMES NO MORE!**

## NORWOOD NEW STORE

**SUEPKE, MEYER & CO.**

**DRY GOODS, MILLINERY AND FANCY GOOD,**

Clothing, Hats, Caps, Boots and Shoes.

Groceries, Crockery, Glass and Wooden Ware.

**HARDWARE, NAILS, GLASS, SASH, &c., &c.**

**LARGE STOCK! FRESH GOODS! LOW PRICES!**

Highest Market Price Paid for Wood, Hides, Ginseng, Furs, and all kinds of Produce.

## WAGONS & PLOWS

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**Blacksmithing,**

AND

**Horse Shoeing**

Agents for the Dixon Reine and Watertown plows.

25. Horse shoeing a specialty. Repairing done on short notice.

Stop on Broadway.

CHAS. DAUWALTER, Prop.

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**BUSINESS CARDS.**

WOOL! WOOL! WOOL!

High prices paid for wool at

Heinemann & Seeger

WANTED.

Wanted a good experienced Blacksmith. Enquire at Herman Brinkhaus, Chaska.

Mason.—Martin Doman offers his services for stone or mason work. Work by the day or contract.

FOR SALE.

72 acres of land with house, barn and other out buildings, situated in Sec. 1, Township 116, Laketown, 30 acres under plow. Price \$1200. Terms: one half cash and the balance at the convenience of the buyer.

For further particulars call on the owner

FRANZ MARTY,

Or John Kerker, Chaska.

**NOTICE.**



## Chaska Valley Herald,

FRED. E. DU TOIT, Editor.

CHASKA, CARVER CO., MINNESOTA

### INTERESTING CURRENT TOPICS.

The czar has put a stop to the purchase of American locomotives and railroad coaches by decreeing that the Russians must manufacture these things for themselves.

Woolen manufacturers in Rhode Island report more encouraging prospects than at any time in the last three years. Nearly all the mills are working on advance orders.

Students of Russian history state that for several hundred years no quarter of a century has passed without the annexation of more or less territory to Russian dominions.

The municipal clocks of Vienna are moved in accord, by means of pneumatic tubes, with a central clock. Every minute a wave of compressed air is sent through the tubes, causing the hands to move.

Churchgoers in Mexico are subject to a new annoyance. Skillful thieves have trained dogs to go quietly into church and steal handkerchiefs from ladies who are so deeply engrossed in their devotions as not to notice the theft.

Carefully culled statistics are added to show that the chances of life are longer in France than elsewhere in Europe. Of a million inhabitants who reach their sixtieth year Italy has 71,692; England, 78,910; Holland, 76,881; Sweden, 78,187; Denmark, 86,671; Belgium, 88,432; France, 1,01,495. Great Britain has the best show of centenarians.

The first submarine cable was laid across the Strait of Dover, twenty seven years ago. It parted next day, and the first working cable was laid, in 1851, on the same route. The network of cable has now extended so far that when Asia is united to America by cabling the Pacific, the electric girdle around the world will be complete from east to west, as it now is between north and south.

The surmise that many of the persons run over by railroad trains have been previously murdered is usually not correct. The body he saw ahead on the track was not struck. It was found that the man had been robbed, almost killed, and then placed where a train would be likely to obliterate all evidence of the crime.

Ten Texan cattle breeders alone own 1,025,000 cattle, besides horses and mules, and have 682,000 acres of enclosed pasture. In 1870 the statistics showed that the State contained 424,504 horses, 61,932 mules and asses, 428,048 mules, 129,400 oxen, and 2,093,047 other cattle, or for all the owners in the State, only 2,469,000 more than are now owned by ten men alone.

The clergyman in Quincy, Illinois, who changed a twenty dollar greenback for a young man whom he married to a bogus young woman, will hereafter be more circumspect as to the people whom he unites in matrimony. The young woman turned out to be a boy in feminine apparel, and the pair ran in two different directions as soon as it was discovered that they were as counterfeit as the twenty-dollar note.

According to an official statement of the Bank of England, the stock of paid notes for seven years is about ninety-four millions in number, and they fill eighteen thousand boxes, which, if placed side by side would reach three miles. The notes placed in a pile would be eight miles high; or if joined end to end, they would form a ribbon fifteen thousand miles long. This superficial extent is more than that of Hyde Park. The original value was three thousand million pounds, and their weight over one hundred and twelve tons.

An amendment to the Virginia Constitution recently adopted makes the payment of a capitation tax a condition of the exercise of the right of suffrage. The capitation tax is a fruitful cause of corruption in elections. The payment of the taxes of poor voters by a rich candidate is a step in the direction of more shameless bribery. This has been demonstrated by the experience of Rhode Island, where wealthy men, without any recommendation but wealth, have repeatedly bought the Governorship by buying the electors.

Although Prof. Swing's church in Chicago is not connected with any denomination, it keeps up a very healthy and prosperous existence, which is a rare thing for an independent church to do. It has about 500 members, half of whom have been converted under Dr. Swing's ministry. It maintains beneficent societies which have during the past year spent about \$2,000 in clothing poor people. The condition of the church treasury is phenomenal. It has cash enough on hand to pay all expenses, including salary and rent, to next April, and leave a balance of \$6,000.

A deserter from the United States army went into business as a barber in Oakland, Cal., and prospered. A former comrade recognized him, and extorted blackmail by threatening to expose him to the authorities. The barber paid regularly \$3 a week for silence. Then the blackmailer took into the plot a friend, who by similar threats, got three a week. At length a third man joined in the attack, and the barber seeing that his pay roll was likely to increase beyond his resources, resolved to kill off the recipients of his money. He shot one of them, was caught in the act, and is now in jail, where, awaiting prosecution, he is at least free from prosecution.

### SUMMARY OF GENERAL NEWS.

**Crimes, Criminals and Accidents.**  
A negro arrested for murder near Little Rock, Arkansas, was shot and killed by three masked men.

A pleasure steamer on Silver Lake near Plymouth, Mass., exploded her boiler and severely injuring fourteen passengers, five or six fatally.

The Kansas City grand jury has indicted over 300 persons for violating the Sunday law. Druggists, clothing dealers and a church deacon are among the indicted.

Proceedings have been commenced in New Orleans against Weldon, who attempted to assassinate Packard, and Gov. Nicholls will make a requisition on Gov. Harttrauf of Pennsylvania for him.

Logan, Ohio, is excited over the murder of a wealthy farmer, named John Weldon, and his sister and his sister's daughter. The murders were to secure money. The murderer has been arrested and is likely to be lynched.

Another stage from Deadwood to Cheyenne has been robbed, and the treasure boxes taken, but the passengers were not molested. One of the robbers told the driver to ask the managers of the line for a pair of scales, as dividing the dirt with a spoon was not always satisfactory.

United States Marshal Waldron of Memphis, has received from the President a full pardon for Esquire H. C. Brewer, convicted of conspiring with M. Combs, a claim agent, to defraud the government and sentenced by the United States court to the penitentiary. Brewer is quite old and is almost totally blind and unable to perform any labor, and has served eighteen months in prison.

James Bliss was assassinated at New Haven, Wis., (about 20 miles from Menomonie), on the 25th. He was riding on his horse about half a mile from home when he was shot by a concealed person and killed. He had a good deal of trouble with his neighbor, and had recently been in jail for assaulting an old man. No other clue is furnished to the murderer.

**Personal and Political.**  
W. G. Le Due, of Hastings, Minnesota, has been appointed Commissioner of Agriculture.

Pennsylvania politicians say the Republican Convention in that State will follow the example of Iowa in demanding the restoration of silver as legal tender.

President Hayes has gone to the Soldiers' Home near Washington, for his summer residence. He occupies the same cottage formerly occupied by President Lincoln.

In accordance with the civil service requirements, E. H. Chase, internal revenue collector, and Douglas Smith, postmaster of Wilkesbarre, Pa., have resigned as chairman and secretary of the Republican county committee.

Major General W. B. Hazen, in command of the sixth infantry, has been selected for the position of military attaché to the American legation at Vienna for the purpose of witnessing the military operations between the Turks and Russians.

A vigorous campaign is being decided to make a vigorous campaign in Ohio with the currency question. By this means and the President's order forbidding officeholders from participating in politics the Democrats are sanguine of carrying the State in October.

The Democratic ticket, consisting of 14 white and 2 colored citizens, were elected on opposition at a special election, held on the 20th, for 17 members of the legislature to represent Charleston county. The Republicans, the day before, decided not to run a ticket.

The Republican State Convention of Iowa met at Des Moines on the 27th with Hon. James F. Miller for chairman. The following ticket was nominated: For Governor, John H. Gear of Burlington; Lieut. Gov., Frank L. Campbell, of Jasper County; Chief Justice, present incumbent, Day; Superintendent of Public Instruction, Prof. Van Coughlin. Two resolutions endorsing the Administration were offered and voted down very decidedly.

**Miscellaneous.**  
The crop reports from Canada are very unfavorable.

The Centennial Board of Finances has repaid the \$1,500,000 appropriated by the government.

The Army of the Potomac reunion at Providence, Rhode Island, was an enthusiastic affair. Gen. Steuven was chosen president.

The California club of San Francisco on the 20th subscribed \$300 for the relief of the St. John sufferers, and ordered the amount telegraphed.

The President and Mrs. Hayes, together with Secretary Evans, Deves, Key, and Schurz are visiting Boston and receiving much attention.

Patterson, N. J. is excited by a strike of six factory handmaiden. Women are active in the strike, and savagely assaulted a man who favored returning to work.

The Erie railroad has reduced the pay of its employees ten per cent and now a regiment of State militia is under arms at Buffalo to quell an expected riot.

The managers of the leading trunk lines of railroad have held a meeting at Cleveland, and arranged to pool their earnings. This means higher freight rates.

The spinning mill of John Robertson & Co., Glasgow, Scotland has been destroyed by fire. It covered eighty acres. Clark & Co's thread works at Paisley, Scotland have also burned.

And now Marblehead, Mass., is suffering. Nearly the whole business portion of the town was burned on the 25th. The loss is over half a million and insurance about \$500,000.

The Grand Army of the Republic held its national encampment at Providence, Rhode Island, and elected Jas. L. Farley, of New York, commander in chief; Geo. Harttrauf, of Pennsylvania.

The New York Tribune reduced the pay of its compositors from 46 to 40 cts. per 1000 ems, and the printers struck. The Tribune filled the cases with new men and refuses to take back the old ones.

Beecher has preached a sermon commending Hilton for excluding Jews from his Saratoga hotel and forty six of the leading Jewish firms of Cincinnati have agreed to have no further business relations with the house of A. T. Stewart & Co.

The National bank of the State of Missouri located at St. Louis has failed owing, it is alleged, to the shrinkage of real estate and other values. The failure appears to have been a surprise to everybody and two million dollars were deposited in the bank on the day it failed. It is claimed that depositors will be paid in full.

The following is the official statement of the United States treasury outstanding at the close of the fiscal year ending June 30, 1883: Gold, \$2,298,259; silver, \$250,437,224; total, \$252,735,483; fractional currency, \$20,403,127; total, \$273,138,610. Collected reports from all the mints in the United States city and Carson City state that the aggregate coinage of the fiscal year of \$14,000,000.

A violent tornado commencing at Kansas city on the 25th swept over Missouri, Nebraska, Illinois, Ohio, Indiana and other sections of the country doing immense damage. The Cincinnati Express composed of five cars was blown from the track near Kanawake III, and a number of passengers injured. At Peoria, Bloomington and Chicago, in Illinois buildings were unroofed and prostrated. At Cincinnati, Columbus and Toledo similar damage was done.

An investigation into the losses of sheep during the past season shows that total to be nearly three million sheep and lambs destroyed by dogs and wolves and various diseases, and an aggregate money value of nearly eight million dollars. The average per centage of loss is nearly eight. The proportion is highest respectively North Canada, Florida, Louisiana, and ranges 18 per cent, in the former States (to 7-10 in Nebraska). The rate is highest in the South and lowest in the States having dog laws.

**Foreign.**  
The Turkish chamber of deputies, in session, voted for a continuance of the war with Austria, even all Europe combines against the Turks.

A St. Petersburg telegram denies that Col. Wolley, English attaché, had been treated with coolness and suspicion at the Russian headquarters.

In the French chamber of deputies on the 25th, Grey, president, read a decree formally dissolving the chamber, and intimating that elections would be held after an interval of two months.

The mayor of Logan, Ohio, has telegraphed to Gov. Young for authority to employ the military and asking for more assistance to guard the life of the archbishop. He attempted to secure and lynch two murderers.

It is stated in Constantinople official circles that the Turkish commander-in-chief has been aware for some time of the intention of the Russians to cross in Dobruja, but that it entered into his plan of operations to permit them to do so.

At the meeting of the directors of the United States Cable company in London on the 20th, the party which opposed the policy of consolidation demanded but were defeated by 422 against 429. The Anglo-American cable also met the 20th, and approved to the end of the year.

At the consistory in Rome on the 25th, the Pope appointed Rt. Rev. L. M. Fink, president apostolic of Kansas, to be archbishop of the States and Rt. Rev. James Gibbons, D. D., present bishop of Richmond, Va., as successor to the Most Rev. James Roosevelt Bayley, D. D., archbishop of Baltimore.

**Latest Markets.**  
WHEAT—Unchanged.  
GRAIN—Wheat No. 2, \$1.44; seller July, \$1.45; seller August, \$1.46; No. 3, \$1.39; No. 4, \$1.34; No. 5, \$1.29; No. 6, \$1.24; No. 7, \$1.19; No. 8, \$1.14; No. 9, \$1.09; No. 10, \$1.04; No. 11, \$1.00; No. 12, \$0.95; No. 13, \$0.90; No. 14, \$0.85; No. 15, \$0.80; No. 16, \$0.75; No. 17, \$0.70; No. 18, \$0.65; No. 19, \$0.60; No. 20, \$0.55; No. 21, \$0.50; No. 22, \$0.45; No. 23, \$0.40; No. 24, \$0.35; No. 25, \$0.30; No. 26, \$0.25; No. 27, \$0.20; No. 28, \$0.15; No. 29, \$0.10; No. 30, \$0.05; No. 31, \$0.00; No. 32, \$0.00; No. 33, \$0.00; No. 34, \$0.00; No. 35, \$0.00; No. 36, \$0.00; No. 37, \$0.00; No. 38, \$0.00; No. 39, \$0.00; No. 40, \$0.00; No. 41, \$0.00; No. 42, \$0.00; No. 43, \$0.00; No. 44, \$0.00; No. 45, \$0.00; No. 46, \$0.00; No. 47, \$0.00; No. 48, \$0.00; No. 49, \$0.00; No. 50, \$0.00; No. 51, \$0.00; No. 52, \$0.00; No. 53, \$0.00; No. 54, \$0.00; No. 55, \$0.00; No. 56, \$0.00; No. 57, \$0.00; No. 58, \$0.00; No. 59, \$0.00; No. 60, \$0.00; No. 61, \$0.00; 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## LOCAL NEWS

### Minneapolis & St. Louis Railway.

Trains leaving Minneapolis	5:30 a. m.
" " " "	10:05 a. m.
" " " "	5:15 p. m.
" " " "	9:10 a. m.
" " " "	4:10 p. m.
" " " "	8:15 " "

### "Dummy" Time Table.

Going East depart	9 A. M.
" West "	5 P. M.

The Dummy connects at Shakopee with  
St. Paul and St. Louis trains.

### Here And There

Peter Hiss, of the National Hotel, has  
built a new side walk along the front of  
his hotel property on Chestnut St. It im-  
proves the appearance of that locality 100  
per cent.

The brick work on Goodrich's new store  
will be completed this week. It will be a  
splendid building when fully completed.

Buy your candies, nuts, oranges and  
lemons of Mr. Elder, of the Chaska Bakery.

### The Festival.

Notwithstanding the somewhat unfavor-  
able weather of last Friday and Saturday  
evenings, the festival was a perfect success  
in every respect. The service association  
of card sent \$57 over and above all ex-  
penses.

### COLLECTING AGENT.

Matt. Legelin Esq. of this city is our  
fully accredited collecting agent. He will  
call in person upon all of our delinquent  
subscribers, whose subscription expired  
the 1st of January last. We hope they  
will try and settle up in full.

### County Fair.

The premium list for the tenth annual  
County Fair, are already printed and ready  
for distribution. The list is unusually  
attractive, and should be carefully perused  
by our readers. The prizes are numerous  
and varied, and should insure a good dis-  
play at our County Fair. The Fair will  
be held on the 28th and 29th days of Sep-  
tember, being Friday and Saturday.

### TAX LIST.

We will publish the tax list in our next  
issue. It is about the same length as last  
year. It will appear in the paper the first  
week and thereafter in supplement form.

**SILVER STARS.**—The young lads of this  
village have organized a base ball club, and  
have named it the "Silver Star" club. A nice  
red and white cap, white shirts and red  
pants, with blue stripes.

**Pic-nic.**—The scholars and teachers of  
the Moravian Sabbath School of this city,  
to the number of 90 or more, are having  
a picnic at Holtzmeiers lake, in Laketown  
to day.

**Dist. School.**—The Spring term of the  
public school in district No. 14, Chanhassen,  
P. N. A. Virens teacher, closed with  
a public exhibition last Tuesday. From  
those present we learn that the af-  
fair was very creditable to both teacher  
and scholars.

**Insurance Paid.**—We omitted to men-  
tion the fact last week, that Mr. Hedenha-  
gen of the Carver Co. Insurance agency,  
was up to Hancock last week, and ad-  
justed the loss of Charles Foote, and paid him  
on the spot. A commendable act on the  
part of the company and agency.

**DEBENTURES.**—Our old friend Jacob By-  
heffer, otherwise and better known as  
"Wharen Jacob," has built a porch around  
the north and west side of his saloon build-  
ing, which adds greatly to the comfort  
of his guests, as well as to the appearance  
of the place.

**PERSONAL.**—Jacob Lahr Esq. of Helyettia  
left for a trip to New York State, last Sat-  
urday, accompanied by his family and  
Mrs. Reinhold Leglin. We wish him a  
pleasant trip and safe return.

High Bay, of San Francisco, was in  
town on Saturday last and called in to see  
us.

A. P. Nord Esq. of Dahlgreen, dropped in  
to see us Saturday.

Mr. C. Pfleger of Benton, also stepped  
in to pass the compliment of the day with  
us Saturday.

### The Fourth in Chaska.

The 4th was generally observed in Chaska  
and vicinity. The streets of our vil-  
lage were gaily decorated with flags and  
evergreen on the evening of the 3rd.

The picnic of Peter Hiss was largely  
attended, and passed off to the satisfaction  
of those present. Judge Warner, M. H.  
Hiss and Col. Baxter delivered some very  
interesting remarks.

The picnic at Concordia Hall was also  
numerously attended. Mr. Fritz Schuetz  
of Carver, delivered the principal oration  
in the German language. Col. Baxter and  
Mr. Kerker also responded to numerous  
calls, in brief remarks pertinent to the  
occasion.

### The Crops.

The grain crop is looking unusually well.  
The eye crop will be harvested in this sec-  
tion of the county next week, and prom-  
ises well. Another two weeks will find  
barley ready for the sickle. The warm  
weather of the past week is doing wonders  
for the corn crop. Taking everything into  
consideration the outlook is extremely fa-  
vorable.

### Boxwood Items.

Our friend Dr. W. P. Cash spent a few  
days with us last week, after which he  
took his departure for DeGraff, where he  
will engage in practicing medicine. Suc-  
cess to you Cash.

Our friend David Parks, who recently  
took his leave for Florida, made himself  
visible again on Thursday last, he says he  
was as far South as New Orleans, but there  
is no use in talking. Dave can't stay away  
from Norwood any length of time.

Mr. Colton, editor Carver Free Press,  
made us a short call on Thursday.

Our delegates who attended the conven-  
tion held in Hutchinson by the Good Tem-  
plers reported a good time.

The festival mentioned in our last com-  
munication came off as advertised, under  
the able management of Mr. Sorenson and  
family. It was a success, by a few fami-  
lies diving pretty deeply into their purses;  
they succeeded in clearing about sixty dol-  
lars net.

The cash receipts at this station for the  
week ending June 30th was nearly four  
hundred dollars.

Our friend Mr. Will Slocum took his de-  
parture on the Mo-day morning train, to  
the great sorrow of his numerous friends,  
which he made during his stay here. Why  
he left so suddenly, can only be conjectured.

Our young friend J. T. Joberg of the  
firm of R. S. Miles & Co. is practicing den-  
tistry so that in the absence of the Dr., he  
can attend to that branch of the business  
he had a case "last week" and made it a  
success under the direction of Squire Mix.  
charges 25 cts. which was immediately in-  
vested by him in pea nuts.

### Norwood "Shoer Stror."

### Young America Items.

A very large number of people were in  
town on fair day, and about fifty head of  
cattle were disposed of, there was but lit-  
tle demand for working cattle, it being a  
little late in the season, but cows con-  
tinue to sell well and we noticed several  
very choice new milk cows on the streets  
which, by the way, were very quickly  
disposed of.

Messrs. Martia & Schaler have put  
down a very fine side walk in front of  
their place and deserve the thanks of the  
town. They have made their place "if  
possible" more attractive, and have shown  
by their willingness to expend money for  
the convenience of their many customers  
that they appreciate their patronage, and  
we prophesy that, notwithstanding the  
grasshopper scare, we will continue to see  
our hardware and shoe store, as in times  
gone by, well filled with customers daily.

Mrs. Rausch is spending the 4th in No-  
rwood with her parents, we wish her a  
pleasant visit and safe return.

Mr. F. Schütz was with us again on Sun-  
day, and Mr. Bradenbagen spent a few  
days with us last week.

Active preparations are being made to  
celebrate the 101st anniversary of the in-  
dependence of the U. S. and all expect to  
have a good time, if it doesn't rain!

### Benton Items.

Grain looks splendid in this vicinity.—  
Corn is somewhat backward however.

A traveling "organ grinder," was quite  
an attraction to the young folks of this  
village the past week.

Mr. Kronschnables new flouring mill  
will soon be completed, and will then be  
one of the best in the county.

Mr. Rita, new store building is com-  
pleted and looks well.

Messrs. Grates and Goetze and Bach-  
mann, the contractors having the church  
building in hand are pushing their work  
along with commendable energy.

John Myrus, of Albany, Kearns Co.,  
and son of B. Myrus, of Dahlgreen, was in  
town last week. He says the hoppers  
have eaten everything in his locality.

The Benton Mill, C. Kronschnable, is  
buying No. 1 wheat and paying Carver  
prices. Call on him with your grain.

M. H. M.

**PERSONAL.**—Hon. C. H. Liegion of  
Watertown, was in town over Sunday.  
We acknowledge a very pleasant call.

Hon. J. P. Atkins of Watertown was  
also in town on Friday.

Sam Trave of Camden and L. Hedenha-  
gen of Benton were in town on business on  
Tuesday.

### New Pop Factory.

We are informed that Leonard Heden-  
hausen and Henry Meunissen, of the vil-  
lage of Benton, will start a new pop fac-  
tory at once. They have already ordered  
the necessary machinery, and expect that  
it will arrive next Saturday. As they are  
both enterprising business men, we expect  
that they will succeed in their new ven-  
ture. We certainly wish them all manner of suc-  
cess. But don't forget the HERALD office,  
gents.

Benton Jun. 30th, 1877.

THE VALLEY HERALD:

Among other very im-  
portant (?) news always contained in the  
so called Carver Free Press, I noticed in  
the issue of June 13th too pretty a com-  
pliment for me as postmaster of Benton to  
utterly ignore. The editor tells the read-  
ers that he was informed by one of his  
subscribers, that inexcusable irregularities  
are committed in the Post office at  
Benton in behalf of his clandestine paper;  
that for instance copies of the Free Press  
of Sept. 6, Nov. 29 and Dec. 13, 76 were all  
received at Carver by his informant.

I requested the editor to prove his as-  
sertions, or at least have it proved by his  
subscriber, but in vain. It seems that the  
editor considers his stand point too lofty  
to come down and explain. I admit that

the Free Press is laying here sometimes  
for quite a while, but it is, because it isn't  
called for. Even if I call the attention of  
some of the subscribers to their Free Press,  
to take it along, I often get the reply; we  
don't want that miserable sheet. It cer-  
tainly isn't my fault parties don't feel  
like reading that abusive paper.

The Free Press has at present about 10  
subscribers here but I think that is just  
ten too many. It is too difficult for me  
as for others to ascertain the mission of  
that paper and the sooner a paper of that  
shade is discontinued the better.

We are confident that whenever the  
Free Press will be ready to go to Mont-  
ideo, Norwood or even Halifax, Carver  
County will manfully overcome such a be-  
reavement.

Am yours Respectfully,  
M. RITZ, Benton.

### Dead.

On Tuesday the 2nd day of July 1877,  
Mrs. Anna Dirks, wife of Peter Dirks, of  
Chanhassen. The funeral on Thursday  
was very largely attended. The family  
had the sincere sympathy of a large cir-  
cle of friends.

### Notice

#### Of Special Election.

Notice is hereby given that a Special El-  
ection will be held in the Town of Holly-  
wood in the County of Carver, State of Min-  
nesota, on the 25th day of July 1877, at the  
house of Wm. Luther in said town to de-  
cide upon the question of issuing the bonds  
of said town to the amount of Six Thousand  
Dollars, to the Minneapolis & Northwestern  
Railroad Company, to aid in the construc-  
tion of said company. The said bonds, if  
voted, to be delivered to said railroad com-  
pany, Only upon the following conditions, to  
wit:

Said bonds shall be issued immediately  
and placed in the hands of the Governor of  
the State of Minnesota to be delivered by  
him to the said railroad company as soon  
as said railroad shall be finished and the  
cars running thereon, to the line of said  
town.

Provided, The railroad company shall  
file with the clerk of said town an agree-  
ment allowing each tax payer or his family  
to ride on said road each year free to the  
full amount of his tax for the annual inter-  
est on said bonds.

Provided, Further that if said road is  
not built as aforesaid within three years  
from the date of the issue of said bonds,  
they shall be delivered back to the town  
supervisors. And provided that no interest  
shall be paid or accrued due on said bonds  
before the road is completed, to the point  
designated herein. Said bonds to bear in-  
terest at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum.  
Provided, Further that some part of  
said railroad line shall be at least two miles  
south of the north line of said town.

The polls will be open from 9 A. M. un-  
til 5 P. M. of said day. The ballots will  
contain the words "Railroad Bonds, YES,"  
or "Railroad Bonds, NO."

Dated at Hollywood Town Minnesota, this  
2nd day of July 1877.

JAC. SCHUCH.  
AUGUST NIXEMAN.  
JAMES SEXTON.  
Supervisors.

REINHOLD ZEGI IX.  
Town Clerk.

## New Hardware STORE!

Opposite The old Store  
2nd Street.

CHASKA - - - MINN.

The undersigned has opened a cash  
store for the sale of

Hardware, Tinware,  
and House Furnish-  
ing Goods.

SPOUTING & REPAIRING A  
SPECIALTY.

Farmers and others should call on  
me before purchasing elsewhere, as I am  
bound to sell very cheap for cash.

Emile Bucholz, Propr

CARVER COUNTY

## INSURANCE

### AGENCY.

The following named and are listed com-  
panies are represented in this Agency:

Fire and Marine of St. Paul,

Acacia of Hartford,

Phoenix of Hartford,

Hartford of Hartford,

Home, of Columbus,

Phoenix, of Brooklyn,

American Central of St. Louis

German American of N. Y.

Fireman's Fund of San Francisco

Traveler's Accident Insurance

Co. of Hartford,

German American Hall

Ins. Co. of St. Paul.

The aggregate capital of these companies  
amounts to over

**\$23,000,000,**

enabling them to carry ANY and EVERY  
risk. Before insuring elsewhere, give me  
a call and I assure you that I can and will  
give you the best terms, lowest rates and  
most reliable security.

W. C. BREDEHAGEN.

## Hardware!

STOVES

and

Tinware!

ALBERT KOHLER.

Waconia, - - - Minn.

Also FURNITURE of every de-  
scription at city prices.

COFFINS! COFFINS!  
Always kept on hand. Give me a call  
before purchasing elsewhere.

A. KOHLER.

### NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

Whereas my wife Elizabeth Starken, has left  
my bed and board without just cause or pro-  
vision on my part, all persons are hereby in-  
formed that I will pay no debts of her con-  
tract on or after this date.

Dahlgreen, June 25th 1877.

JOS. STARKEN.

### FARM FOR SALE.

#### ADJOINING NORWOOD.

An improved farm of 65 acres, adjoining  
the townsite of Norwood, Carver Co., said  
farm has good buildings on the same and  
an also be laid out into good and valua-  
ble town lots. It is a valuable piece of  
property and will be sold at a bargain, on  
easy terms.

Norwood June 13th 1877

FRED KLANKE.

## OSCAR SCHENEMAN

### WATCHMAKER.

and dealer in

WATCHES, JEWELRY &c.

CHASKA, - - - MINN.

Repairing of WATCHES and CLOCKS,  
promptly attended to. All work guaranteed.

## Saloon and Restaurant

by

CHRIS. EDER,

CHASKA, - - - MINNESOTA.

WINES, LIQUORS, CIGARS,

and

MILWAUKEE LAGER BEER

constantly on hand.

Lunch and Warm Meals

furnished at all reasonable hours at prices to  
suit the times.

## GREAT BARGAINS.

at and

**Below Cost**

WE HAVE COMMENCED

**OUR NEW STORE!**

In good earnest and we will close out our present stock, new and old for

**The Next Sixty Days**

**At and Below Cost!**

Including \$5000 worth of goods just bought. Our stock is large and  
complete. We want to fill our new store with

**entirely New Stock!**

We mean just what we say. Come and see that there is no humbug in  
what we say.

**H. GOODRICH.**

**75,000 yards of full stan-  
dard calico at 6c per yard.**

We have just received an immense stock of

**SPRING GOODS**

And offer the same at prices, that will surprise you.

OVER 20,000 yards of good Muslin at 5 cents per yard,

25,00 yards of Alpaca from 25 cents on.

A good suit, well made for \$4.

12 pounds Best New York dried apples for \$1

5000 Yards of Fine Dress Goods latest spring styles  
for 15 cents per yard.

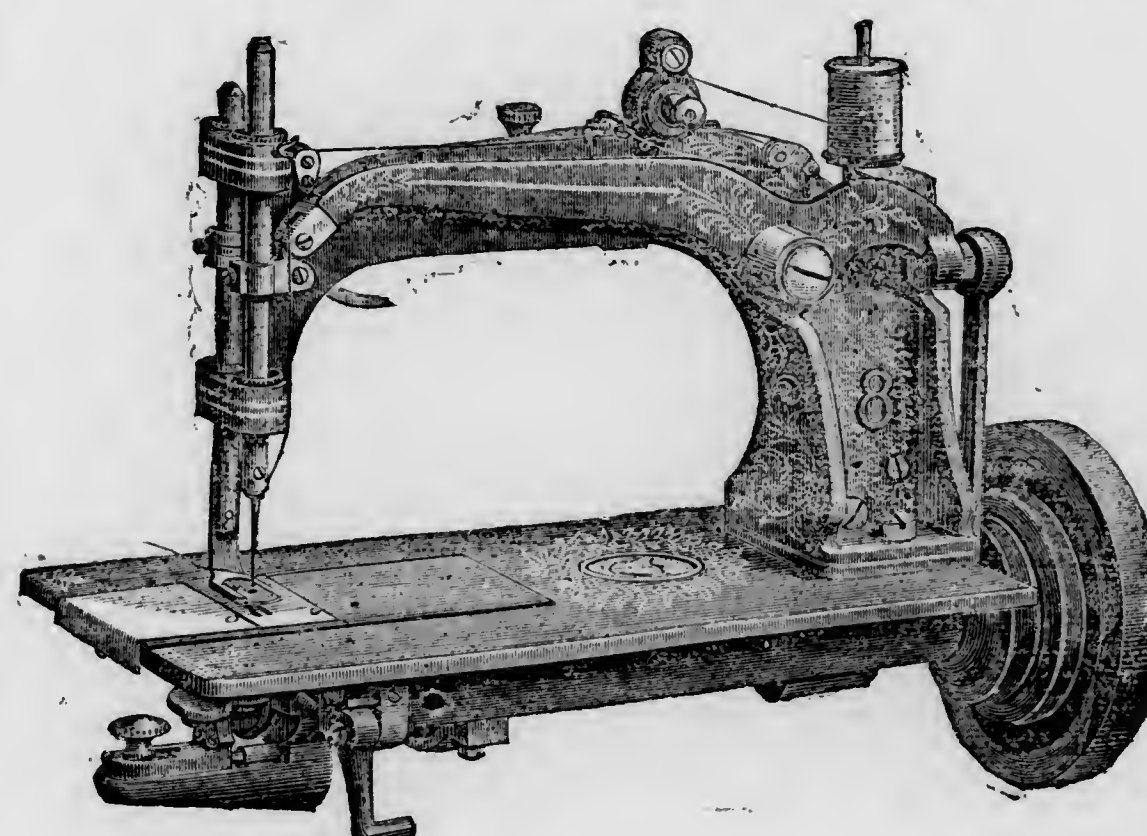
**Come and see us, we will  
make it pay for you.**

**HEINEMANN  
& SEEGER,**

THE NEW

**WHEELER & WILSON**

Family Sewing Machine No. 8.



A new machine with a straight needle.  
The work runs back from the operator.  
It has a take-up, preventing the thread  
from breaking.  
It will sew the heaviest or lightest goods,  
and from one to the other without change  
of tension.

No shuttle to thread.  
Does not oil the thread or goods.  
No expense from wear of shuttle.  
It is the simplest and easiest to handle,  
runs easily, quickly and rapidly.  
It is without a rival for the family or  
workshop.

The NEW WHEELER & WILSON No. 6 Machine is recommended for  
Leather work, and the new No. 7 for leather work and tailoring — especially for  
tailoring.

C. A. GOETZE,

Carver, Minn., the agent for the sale of  
these celebrated machines has a large  
stock on hand at all times.

FARRAR & WHEELER,  
No. 155 State Street Chicago, Genera  
Agents for  
Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Michigan, Minnesota  
Nebraska and Western Territories.

**AGENTS WANTED**

**A. M. SWENSON,**

Proprietor of the

**CARVER CARDING MILL!**

CARVER, - - - MINNESOTA.

Mr. Swanson has just finished his carding Mill and is now ready to receive

**WOOL FOR CARDING!**

Charges reasonable, and good work Guaranteed. He also pays the highest

**CASH PRICE FOR WOOL.**

Mill on Carver Creek.







# Chaska Valley Herald.

FRED E. DU TOIT, Editor.

CHASKA, CARVER CO., MINNESOTA

## INTERESTING CURRENT TOPICS.

The bent of two Baltimore had little boys was to steal door keys. They collected over a hundred and traded them for tobacco.

Gen. Toombs says that, after participating in the Georgia Constitutional Convention, he will take no further part in public affairs.

The sale of the furniture of a young and beautiful woman of notoriety was advertised in Paris "in consequence of Milc."

The most interesting thing in a Toledo golden wedding was a dance by the bridegroom's father, aged 106, and the old man's great-granddaughter, aged sixteen.

Many women of the Russian wealthy class have enrolled themselves as hospital nurses for the army. Their uniform is a gray dress, on the breast of which is a red cross, a white hood, and a short black cloak.

Blanton Duncan has sued the managers of the Louisville Library lottery on behalf of several purchasers of tickets that drew no prizes. Charges of fraud are freely made, the amount of money divided among the managers being stated at over \$1,000,000.

The Custer of the Russian army, and its youngest general, is Skobelev, conqueror of Khokand, and now on the staff of the Grand Duke Nicholas. In the Khokand war he made a night attack, with 150 men, on a camp of several thousand of the enemy, cutting down every man within range of their swords. The enemy fled, leaving forty dead and all their camp material and baggage. Skobelev did not lose a man.

The British Government, in view of the supply of rubber falling short in South America, is sending young trees to India. The native way of supplying the trade with rubber is wasteful, and the demand is increasing at an enormous rate. It has been the practice to cut down trees 150 or 200 feet high to secure one hundred weight of rubber, and thus the forests of rubber trees in Brazil are being destroyed.

Prince Bismarck is taking the water at Kissingen. On his arrival he published a card to the bathers, begging them not to congregate for the purpose of staring at him, and not to recognize or bow to him in public. If they did, he would be obliged to ignore their salutations and be condemned as an ill-mannered man, or he would at least be compelled to take off his hat, catch cold, and lose all benefit of the water.

The arrests of Communists in France continue. A number of the less knowing among those against whom sentences were pronounced in their absence have been induced to return to France by the loud talk about amnesty. In many cases they have not hesitated to live openly in the large cities, where they are known to the police. Two men and a woman were apprehended in Paris the other day on a charge of having taken part in the burning and sacking of public buildings under the Commune. They were conveyed to prison, where they now await trial.

Pigeon-English, a language peeping about on the Pacific coast, was invented in Canton, Hong Kong, and Shanghai, where it is to-day used as the medium of business transactions between the natives and foreign merchants. The name was derived from the fact that the natives pronounce business, pigeon, and, as neither of the two contracting parties could spare the time to acquire thoroughly either Chinese or English, a happy adaptation of the one to the other by practical intermingling was hit upon. At the present day some very large transactions take place in Pigeon-English in the cities named, as well as the other points.

"Kiss me George," she said, and, claimed to be the rest of the gang as he was, George managed to kiss the girl. The other prisoners looked on in envy, and the sheriff looked on indulgently. But how much more the prisoners would have envied that kiss, and how strongly the officers would have prohibited it, had either known that between those coral lips there was a small key, fitting the steel bracelets on George's wrists. Precisely how he put to practical use that farewell kiss is not known, but he did unlock his bonds, and, although the train was going at a very rapid rate, conveying him from Springfield, Ill., to the State prison, he bounded through a window and escaped.

There was a curious scene at the gambling tables at Monaco the other day. A number of pilgrims, most of them from England and Ireland, had arrived there en route for Rome, and a good many of them strolled into the Kursaal to watch the gamblers. One enthusiastic pilgrim took upon himself to improve the occasion, and commenced a homily on the sin of gambling. Waxing somewhat offensively personal in his remarks, he was requested to withdraw, but declined to do so, declaring he had a mission from Heaven to purge Monaco of its vice. The attendants then proceeded to eject him, but the homilist suddenly drew a revolver and fired off at the manager of the rooms, but fortunately missed him. M. Blanc, the proprietor of the gambling tables, himself a devoted son of the Holy Church, on learning that the misadventure was a pilgrim, magnanimously refused to hand him over to the police, but permitted him to return to his hotel and depart with his fellow-pilgrims for the Holy City.

## SUMMARY OF GENERAL NEWS.

**Criminals, Criminals and Accidents.**  
Joseph Bark, city treasurer of Buffalo, has been convicted of embezzlement.

A pleasure steamer on Silver Lake near Plymouth, Mass., exploded her boiler and severely injuring fourteen passengers, five or six fatally.

The Kansas City grand jury has indicted over 300 persons for violating the Sunday law. Druggists, clothing dealers and a church deacon are among the indicted.

The New York Supreme Court declines to grant Joe Coburn, the pugilist, a new trial. He is in Sing Sing serving out a sentence of ten years for shooting a policeman.

Three men, Play, Bellinger and Pierce, were boating on the Niagara river above the falls, when the boat got into the rapids, and Bellinger and Pierce jumped out and attempted to swim to the shore, but were carried over the falls. Play remained in the boat and was rescued.

Another stage from Deadwood to Cheyenne has been robbed, and the treasure boxes taken, but the passengers were not molested. One of the robbers told the driver to ask the managers of the line for a pair of scales, as dividing the dirt with a spoon was not always satisfactory.

**Personal and Political.**  
Governor Ludington, of Wisconsin, declines to be a candidate for re-election.

Gen. Grant is in Belgium and is receiving distinguished honors there as he did in England.

There is a rumor that Secretary Schurz will resign his present position and accept a foreign mission.

John A. Kasson of Iowa, Minister to Austria, and Theodore Tilton and his two daughters sailed for Europe in the City of Brussels.

Vice President Wheeler is reported to be opposed to President's order prohibiting office-holders from participating in political affairs.

The President requested Col. Wilkin of Baltimore to resign his position as Collector of the port but declined, whereupon he was removed and John H. Thomas appointed.

It is predicted that the Ohio Republican convention will endorse Hayes strongly and favor the renomination of silver. It is conceded that Gen. Ewing will be the Democratic nominee for Governor.

The Secretary of the Navy has reversed the custom among Government employees, to count eight hours as a day. The old ten hour rule has been restored, and those who work but eight hours will receive but four-fifths pay.

Ex-Postmaster General Cresswell, of Maryland is very indignant at the President, owing to the appointment of Thomas, Collector of Baltimore, and publishes a card indicating that he will give aid and comfort to the Democracy.

In reply to the Speeches of Messrs. Chamberlain and Blaine, at Woodstock, Conn. President Hayes says he will not quarrel with those who question the soundness of his judgment, or the honesty of his motives, but he will trust to time for his vindication.

The suit begun against Jake Thompson by Secretary Chandler last year for the embezzlement of Indian funds to the extent of about \$300,000, has been discontinued by order of the attorney general. The order was given on some other reason.

Mrs. Moody on behalf of her husband contradicts the published report that he requested the Woman's Christian Temperance Union of Boston to change its name to the Woman's Evangelical Temperance Union and advised the members of that body to rule out Mrs. Livermore because she was not a Christian.

The President and Cabinet have decided not to enforce the order forbidding officeholders in participating in conventions, in the case of the Iowa postmasters who participated in the convention at that State. The reason for this leniency is that the postmasters had not received the order by mail when the convention was held.

Gen. Grant was not made a D. C. L. of Oxford, because his engagements did not permit him to visit the University town personally and receive the degree, as required by the rules. In connection with the same person, but a vastly different subject, it is interesting to notice an authoritative contradiction of the report that Gen. Grant held heavily in real estate speculation at Long Branch with Tom Murphy.

Woodstock, Conn., was the scene of a somewhat political celebration of the 4th. Ex-Gov. Chamberlain and Senator Blaine were the leading speakers. Chamberlain served President Hayes, whereupon Rev. Mr. Stoddard of Fair Haven, Mass., replied, and called for three cheers for Hayes and they were given heartily. In the next breath three cheers were given for Chamberlain also. Later in the day Senator Blaine spoke, severely condemning the President's Southern policy. He was loudly applauded but no direct issue was made by calling for cheers as in the forenoon.

In the Supreme Criminal Court, at New Orleans, on the 5th inst., Attorney General Ogden and the district attorney filed information against J. Madison Wells, T. C. Anderson, Louis M. Kerner and G. Cassano, charged with receiving section 888 of revised statutes with uttering and publishing as true certain altered, false, forged and counterfeited records. Immediately after filing the information, capias were issued to Wells and Kerner, and the remainder of the defendants were taken into custody. The information is very lengthy, and charges them with having on the 4th of December, 1876, falsely and feloniously uttered and published as true, altered, forged and counterfeited election returns for presidential electors, to-wit: the electors of New York at the election of November last, by adding to and changing the returns.

The postmaster general received a letter from E. W. Keyes, postmaster at Madison, Wisconsin, stating that four out of five members of the Republican state executive committee are postmasters, and enquiring whether their signatures for a call for a state convention would be considered a violation of the president's directions. The postmaster general replied that although he would prefer each official to charge the duty above indicated will not be considered a violation of the president's directions. The postmaster general replied that although he would prefer each official to charge the duty above indicated will not be considered a violation of the president's directions.

**Miscellaneous.**  
The Erie railroad has reduced the pay of its employees ten per cent and now a majority of State militia is under arms at Buffalo to quell an expected riot.

The Republic Life and the Chicago Life, both of Chicago are in trouble and will be taken over by the Clapp, the Secretary of the state company has filed.

The managers of the leading trunk lines of railroad have held a meeting at Cleveland, and arranged to pool their earnings. This means higher freight rates.

Twenty of the graduating class at Harvard this year failed of their degrees, and the Boston Traveler says that more than one was found deficient on account of immorality.

The New York Tribune reduced the pay of its compositors from 40 to 40 cts. per 1000 lms, and the printers struck. The Tribune failed the cases with new men and refused to take back the old ones.

The debt statement shows a decrease of \$2,214,110; currency, \$7,963,913; special deposit of legal tenders for redemption of certificates of deposits, \$41,960,000; coin, \$115,122,473; including coin certificates, \$339,704,382; outstanding legal tenders, \$339,704,382.

Another severe hurricane swept through a large portion of the country on Saturday, June 30th, and Sunday, July 1st. In Indiana and Ohio it was especially severe, many lives being lost. Near Franklin, Indiana, a house was demolished killing every occupant, five in number, and six persons in another house met with a similar fate. In Pennsylvania, New York and New Hampshire the storm raged badly and occasioned loss of life.

An investigation into the losses of sheep during the past year shows that total to be nearly three million sheep and lambs destroyed by dogs and wolves and various diseases, and an aggregate money value of nearly eight million dollars. The average per cent of loss is nearly eight. The proportion is highest respectively in North Carolina, Florida and Louisiana, and ranges 18 per cent, in the former States to 7-10 in Nebraska. The rate is highest in the South and lowest in the States having dog laws.

The Osceola was wrecked on the Yellowstone June 29th, a cable carrying everything from her above the boiler deck. Mrs. Capt. Flower was carried into the river with the cabin, but was rescued without serious injury. Capt. Flower was severely but not seriously injured. The negro fireman and negro cook were drowned. Most of the cargo was saved without serious injury. The hull and machinery are not injured, but the cabin and its contents are all gone. Capt. Flower was for several miles drifting in the current, and a resident of St. Paul.

## War News in Constantinople.

**L. A. Cockerill from Constantinople to The Cincinnati Enquirer:**  
Constantinople can hardly be said to be a thrilling place for news at present. One might as well be on the Island of Patmos as in the capital of the Ottoman empire, so far as knowledge of the war and its progress is concerned. Last week Redif Pasha, minister of war, who manages to hold his place despite the opposition everywhere manifested toward him, issued an order absolutely prohibiting the newspapers of Constantinople from publishing any intelligence concerning war, save that furnished by himself to the *Djihadet Askeri*, the official bulletin of the war office. This prohibition applied to the movement of the war and its progress is concerned. 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### Minneapolis & St. Louis

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" West "	5 P. M.

\*The train connects at Shakopee with Sioux City and St. Paul trains.

### Here and There.

Hot weather! Grasshopper talk. Politics next. Hay crops good. Barley and Rye a splendid crop this season.

Sand in your subscription and advertisements. We guarantee value received.

The Hanota is rapidly extending its subscription list. A power press will soon be needed.

Don't forget your home paper. It is an old stand by.

Hon. Henry Eschle, of St. Paul, and formerly a prominent citizen of this county, is reported very ill at his residence in St. Paul, with dropsy. In early days Mr. E. represented this County in the Legislature, and was one of our leading politicians. His many friends in this county wish him a speedy recovery.

Messrs. Linenfelder & Faber, have had the north side and west end of their large brick store lettered in an attractive manner.

Mr. Greiner's daughter is steadily improving notwithstanding the hot weather.

Call at the Bakery for your loaves, to make lemonade this hot weather.

Dr. Rices, is slowly recovering. He had a relapse last Friday, but is now gaining and will be out in a day or two.

Our city board are grading the street running east and west leading to the brick yards and railroad depot.

For candies, nuts, cookies &c., be sure and call at the Chaska Bakery.

New potatoes are offered for sale every day upon our streets. They are now offered for 75 cents per bushel.

Our farmers are feeling happy. The best of hope prevails among them that the hoppers won't do our country any untold damage. A good crop and fair prices will set all of us upright on our pins.

Stockholders.—It will be seen, by the account of the organization of the new German printing company of St. Paul, published in another column, that Messrs. W. C. Bredenhagen of Carver, and John Korker of Chaska, are stockholders in the new enterprise. We wish them success.

STREET GRADING.—Would it not be well for our village authorities to take the grading of 3rd street, near the Court House into consideration, before asking the county authorities to fix and fence Court House square? We simply throw out this suggestion for their consideration.

OUR POST-OFFICE.—Our P. M. has fixed his office up in first class style. He has recently put in a new letter stand of larger size, neatly painted and lettered, with a number of lock boxes. Charley is certainly entitled to credit for the manner in which he conducts his office.

THE NORTH CAROLINIANS.—Our readers will be glad to learn the above popular troupe will appear at Concordia Hall, Chaska Monday evening July 23. In recommending them we know what we are doing for the North Carolinians are known all over the country, and are regarded as the finest troupe upon the road. The company consists of fourteen genuine ex-slaves; five females and nine males. Are entirely untrained white management, and are first class in every particular. They are not entirely strangers to us. Three years ago they made a tour of our State, visiting all the larger cities; they were two weeks in St. Paul and Minneapolis, and we know of no troupe ever visiting those cities that have given better satisfaction than they. We hope all will avail themselves of this opportunity of hearing them; they are sure none will regret it. Remember they are genuine black people, giving a truthful representation of the slave character before the war.

### BENTON, Carver Co. Minn.

July 11th 1877.

ED. HERALD:—On the 10th of this month Mr. E. P. Bassford of St. Paul, the architect of my church was here to examine the work. He wrote me the following letter, which please insert in your paper.

Respectfully,

REV. GODFREY BEACON.

LETTER.

St. Paul July 11th 1877.

REV. FATHER BEACON.

DR. SIR:

I have examined the brick and carpenter work on your church, executed by Messrs. Leon Grates and Chas. Bachmann, and am pleased to say that they have done a good job so far as the work has progressed. And think when your church is completed you will have no cause to feel ashamed of it.

Most Respectfully,

E. P. BASSFORD,

Architect.

### Death of Hon. H. A. Child.

Since Tuesday morning our village has been greatly excited over the sudden disappearance of Hon. H. A. Child from his home about nine o'clock on Monday morning, and were greatly shocked to learn last evening, (Tuesday) of his tragic death.

Mr. Child has for the last year suffered greatly from paralysis, and for the last few weeks his disease seemed to grow worse, and he became very sad and gloomy. He often said his suffering was more than he could bear.

On Monday morning after transacting some business with Col. Baxter, his law partner, and Sheriff DuToit, he suddenly left his office, saying that he was going to the Court House, but instead of visiting that place, he at once disappeared from the village.—As he did not return Monday night his wife became alarmed and notified Mr. DuToit of his absence. Search was then at once commenced and resulted in finding his body Tuesday evening near the river just south of this village, and within plain sight of his home and his beloved family.

This terrible tragedy has cast a deep gloom over our village, where Mr. Child was much beloved and highly respected.

The following is the verdict of the Jury, rendered at the inquest held by Coroner Gerdsen on Tuesday night and Wednesday morning.

### STATE OF MINNESOTA, } S.S.

### COUNTY OF CARVER. }

An investigation taken at Chaska in the County of Carver, on the 18th day of July A. D. 1877, before H. Gerdsen, Coroner, of the said County of Carver, upon view of the body of H. A. Child, lying there dead by the oaths of the Jurors whose names are hereunto subscribed, who being sworn to inquire on behalf of the State of Minnesota, into the cause and by what means the said H. A. Child came to his death on the 16th day of July 1877, from bleeding, caused by wounds inflicted upon his throat with a razor, by his own hands.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of July A. D. 1877.

H. GERDSEN,

Coroner.

W. H. MILLS,

CHAS. KENNING,

M. LOGELIN,

G. RUDOLPH,

H. KENNING,

J. F. DILEY,

Jurors.

COMMUNICATION.—We are in receipt of a communication from the village of Benton which will appear in our next issue. Our columns are crowded this week.

All kinds of summer coats will be sold at cost price at Heinemann and Seeger.

### Carver Items.

W. H. Mills recommending agent on the Minneapolis and St. Louis R. R. depot is succeeded by Capt. Collins of Minneapolis. Our merchants can not comprehend the reasons of the change and claim it is the result of some malicious underground work.

In our corporation matters we have not advanced at all. Mr. L. M. Brown and L. B. Baxter were in town last week to take testimony of the council.

Zacharias Relsch has made up his mind to go to the old country again, he will leave on Saturday 28th of this month.

P. T. Thoreson is going to Milwaukee and Chicago and of course will take in the Turnerfest held at Milwaukee, and will certainly have a good time.

Peter Buttendorf says, corporation or no corporation, I want to have a sidewalk so he goes in and builds.

Our Free Press has appeared again and is as spicy as usual.

The large blacksmith shop in Carver owned by P. Peterson, and situated opposite the Planter's House, took fire on Wednesday morning at about 3 o'clock, and was burned to the ground. It was insured for \$500 in the St. Paul Fire & Marine Ins. Co. St. Paul.

### Norwood Items.

Well, now it has broke out again I mean marriage; two within a week.

Our young friend Albert Meyer of the firm of Snepke, Meyer & Co., to Miss Lizzy Fabel of Young America. The ceremony took place in Minneapolis at the residence of Mr. Lopping, one of the firm of N. B. Harwood & Co., and from all reports it must have been a pleasant affair. They returned on last Wednesday all right. Congratulations are in order.

And now comes our old friend Klosterman, formerly with Ackerman Bros, now a resident of Jordan, Scott Co., to Mrs. Emma Weichman, sister to Suepke Bros. The ceremony was performed by Squire Mix in a quiet manner at his residence; much happiness to all—and thanks to the grasshopper, for if he had not left us we certainly would not have had the pleasure of these notices; may they all reap a beautiful crop.

Messrs. Habsen, Petersen & Co. of this place have sold about 25 reapers and mowers this season, that convinces us that our farmers have got over the grasshopper scare.

We see our friend Colton of the Carver Free Press is being stirred to wrath by ye P. M. at Benton. All right gentlemen, keep the ball moving, but if you please leave Norwood out of the question, only do get into personalities and please leave out the names of persons with whom you are not acquainted, or whom you cannot appreciate, such as Henry Ward Beecher, Christ and others.

W. C. Bredenhagen was in town last Saturday.

Call on R. S. Miles & Co. for your machine and caper oils, the best in town.

### Village of Young America.

Name of Owner. Lot. Bk. Tax.

Geo. A. Wilson, hlf of no 15 80 10.56

Heirs of G. D. Nelson lot 1 15 24 8.61

Chas. Dreyer, w hlf of no 15 24 8.61

Sas te H & D R R Co 18 117 10.82

J. Dittmer 50 hlf of no 19 53.36 2.81

H. Grundgen 50 hlf of no 19 53.36 2.81

Larry Newell w hlf of no 19 53.36 2.81

Frederick Stockman w hlf of no 19 53.36 2.81

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### Village of Chaska.

Heirs of D & M Dalton lot 1	15	24
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of sec 20	18	117
J Dittmer 30 hf acres of above		
H Grundhaugen 35-50-100 in a ne		
1/4 sec 20	20	100
Fredk Thomsen ac of sw	20	40
Wm Thomsen w of sw	20	40
Mylin Newcock sw hf of sw	20	40
G F Thomsen e hf of nw	20	80
Wm Thomsen w hf of nw	20	80
Fritz Wiebke e hf of sw	21	40
Mylin Thomsen e hf of sw	21	40
Fredk W Duetz lot 1	23	32
hf of nw	23	32
Michael Thomsen e hf of sw	23	80
Nicht Hans s hf of nw	25	80
M Bach 6 1/2 1/4 in se of se	26	1.61
of sec 20 Kompse e hf of sw	26	6.10
Henry Harpue ac	29	29
D Thomsen 30 ac in nw	30	29
H Thomsen e hf of sw	31	40
Mylin Thomsen e hf of sw	31	40
Fredk W Duetz lot 2	31	117
Mylin Thomsen lots 2, 3 and 4	33	100



space.	per line.	1 m.	3 m.	6 m.	1 year.
1 inch	75	1.25	2.00	4.00	10.00
2 inch	1.25	2.00	3.25	6.00	14.00
3 inch	1.75	2.75	4.00	7.50	18.00
4 inch	2.00	3.25	5.00	9.00	22.00
5 inch	2.25	3.50	5.25	10.00	25.00
6 inch	2.50	3.75	5.50	11.00	28.00
7 inch	2.75	4.00	6.00	12.00	32.00
8 inch	3.00	4.25	6.25	13.00	35.00
9 inch	3.25	4.50	6.50	14.00	38.00
10 inch	3.50	4.75	6.75	15.00	42.00

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Sheriff—F. E. Du Toit.  
Clerk of Court—G. Krayenbuhl.  
Attorney—E. H. H. H.  
Surveyor—J. O. Brunia.  
Judge of Probate—J. A. Sargent.  
School Superintendent—Wm. Benson.  
Comptroller—H. W. G. G.  
County Commissioners—S. B. Kohler, Chair-  
man, A. W. Tiffany, Frederick Hill, J. J.  
Carlson, Adam Hill.

For the latest War and Miscellaneous news, see second page, inside columns.

### County Politics.

The offices of Reg., of Deeds, Treasurer, Clerk of Court, Judge of Probate, County Attorney, Coroner and Sheriff are to be filled this fall, the term of the present incumbents expiring at the end of the year. Still, notwithstanding this fact, very little has been said thus far regarding the same. We have heard of a few candidates mentioned for the offices of Sheriff, Judge of Probate and Clerk, outside of the present incumbents. But we presume the next month will bring a host of candidates to the surface. The Sheriff is a candidate for re-election and has been forewarned by some of his political and personal enemies, which, by the way, he is ready to do.

More anon.

### Inebriate License Tax.

The County Attorney of Ramsey county has commenced proceedings to collect the Inebriate License tax. Delinquents have been notified that, if they do not pay up within thirty days the collection will be enforced by law. The amount due in St. Paul amounts to about \$14,000. The liquor dealers' association held a meeting, and decided to let the law take its course.

No attempt has yet been made to collect in this county, and none will be made until preliminary orders from state headquarters are received. The County Attorney and Auditor are the prosecuting officers under the legislative enactment.

### MOB LAW!

#### Great destruction of property

The employees of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad and the Pennsylvania Central, struck for higher wages last week, and as their demand was not complied with, they resorted to violence and bloodshed to gain their object.

At Pittsburgh they organized to the number of several thousand, stopped all trains, and on Saturday commenced destroying property of the companies to the amount of several millions. The militia and the police under the Sheriff were called out, but were dreadfully defeated and dispersed. Some 50 persons were killed and a large number wounded. The Sheriff was among the killed, and the General commanding the militia, among the wounded. The government has sent troops to the scene of the riot and will at once quell all disturbance. For further particulars see inside page.

CLERK ADAMS has finally completed the roll of the next house, and the Democrats have eight majority, according to the list. There are twelve contested cases reported and affidavits filed. Neither the Democratic or Republican member from Colorado will be placed on the roll. Neither will he place on the roll either Pacheco or Wigginton, the California contestants, or Metcalf and Frost, the Missouri contestants.

### This Year's Elections.

Kentucky and Alabama hold their elections this year August 6th; California and Vermont, September 5th; Maine, September 10th; Colorado, Iowa and Ohio, October 2nd; and the following on the 6th of November: Louisiana, Massachusetts, Minnesota, Mississippi, Nevada, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, Virginia and Wisconsin.

### Proceedings County Board.

Auditor's Office, Carver Co., Minn.,  
Chaska July 10th 1877.

The Board of county commissioners met in accordance with law, members all present but Mr. Carlson. The board was called to order by the chair.

On motion of commr. Hill the proceedings of the last session were read and approved.

Resolved, That \$20. be and the same are hereby allowed to Louis Seibert of Benton, for building a road in Sect. 21, Town 115, Range 25. Voted in favor unanimously.

On motion of commr. Hill it was voted unanimously, that Thomas O'Gara be allowed to pay tax on the 5/8 of 3/4 Sec. 3

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CHASKA, MINNESOTA, THURSDAY, JULY 26 1877.

TERMS, \$1.50 Per Annum.

NUMBER 49

Town 117, R. 26, for the years 1871 to 1876 without interest after the entering of the tax judgment, for reason of misfortune by fire, provided the tax be paid within 60 days.

On motion the Board adjourned till one o'clock p. m.

One o'clock p. m. The board met pursuant to adjournment, members all present, but Mr. Carlson. The board was called to order by the chair.

The members of the board and the Auditor were duly sworn by Mr. Krayenbuhl as a Board of Equalization and proceeded to take in consideration the personal property of the county for the year 1877.

On motion the board adjourned till tomorrow 9 o'clock a. m.

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Resolved, That the following items of personal property in the several towns stand equalized as follows to-wit:

Horses under 3 years old.

	Raised.	Reduced.
Benton	17	pr. ct.
Camden	43	
Chaska	28	
Chanhassen	47	
Carver	80	
Dahlgreen	46	
Hollywood	24	
Hancock	26	
Lakewood	20	
San Francisco	20	
Waconia	42	
Young America	9	

Horses 3 years old and over.

Benton	33
Camden	35
Chaska	33
Chanhassen	30
Carver	22
Dahlgreen	23
Hollywood	08
Hancock	16
Lakewood	22
San Francisco	16
Waconia	01
Watertown	01
Young America	01

Cows 2 years old and over.

Benton	20
Camden	110
Chaska	27
Chanhassen	29
Carver	86
Dahlgreen	153
Hollywood	32
Hancock	14
Lakewood	38
San Francisco	50
Waconia	48
Watertown	46
Young America	09

Wagons and Carriages.

Camden	48
Chanhassen	46
Dahlgreen	02
Hancock	32
Lakewood	21
San Francisco	11
Waconia	21
Watertown	32
Young America	21

Sewing and Knitting Machines.

Benton	50
Camden	18
Chaska	20
Chanhassen	15
Carver	69
Dahlgreen	05
Hollywood	20
Lakewood	16
San Francisco	20
Waconia	15
Watertown	29
Young America	27

Agricultural Tools, Implements and Machinery.

Benton	40
Camden	20
Chanhassen	10
Hollywood	25
Lakewood	35
San Francisco	23
Waconia	23
Watertown	23
Young America	23

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Stock and Furniture in Saloon and eating houses.

Young America	25
Carver	50
Watertown	50

Waconia reduced 50 per cent with the exception of G. Niehaus.

Warehouses in the village of Norwood raised 100 per cent.

On motion the Board adjourned as a board of equalization till the 10th day of August 1877, and proceeded to other business.

On motion of commr. Tiffany it was voted unanimously that \$300 val. be abated from the 5/8 of 3/4 S. 3, T. 115, R. 24, belonging to John Spoken, for the year 1876, for reason of erroneous assessment, and that the money already paid be refunded accordingly.

On motion the Board adjourned till tomorrow 8 o'clock a. m.

The Board met pursuant to adjourn-

ment, members all present but Carlson. The board was called to order by the chair.

Bonds for county license of the following persons were presented read and approved with the surties therein named viz: Henry Fabel, Jacob Kern, John Hohmann and Stanislaus Weiser, and the Auditor instructed to issue to them the proper license.

The proposition of Philip Herzog of Minneapolis for the building of an iron fence around the court house square was accepted and the said fence to be built according to contract on file.

The committee on the location for a new road on town lines between the towns of Benton and Waconia, Dahlgreen and Lakewood, petitioned for by Carl Grimm and others agreed to meet on the 20th day of Sept. 1877, at the house of E. Poppitz at 11 o'clock a. m. for the purpose of examining the proposed location.

In absence of commr. Carlson, Commr. Hill was directed to take care of the poor in the 4th district.

Resolved, That the personal property assessed to the following persons for the year 1876 be stricken from the tax list for reason of being returned uncollectable by the Co. Treasurer, viz:

Henry Cremer, Benton	25
Chas H Lampher, Benton	172
Wolf Hamel, Camden	153
Otto Nagel, Chaska	0 69
Wm Beaumeister, Chanhassen	13 26
Henry Vantz, Chaska	4 99
Wm Beaumeister, Chanhassen	58
Louis Timmers, Chanhassen	53
W H Busse, Carver	4 99
John Dunn, Carver	1 20
Geo Kronschnabel, Carver	0 69
Dr Northrop, Carver	3 35
John Johnson, Dahlgreen	1 67
Johanna Johnson, Dahlgreen	3 66
Jonas Johnson, Dahlgreen	69
Ludwig Larson, Dahlgreen	1 79
Wm McClellan, Hollywood	1 79
Wm Surge, Hollywood	1 59
John Johnson, Hancock	1 24
Anton Marty, Lakewood	53
L Rademaker, Lakewood	2 16
Pat Kenny, San Francisco	1 94
P L Kornick, Waconia	2 30
R P Peterson, Watertown	36
Aug Nimmes	02
J Swafford	2 90
Arnold Hornemann Y. America	2 90

On motion the board adjourned till one o'clock p. m.

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The bond of Carl Schmidt for County License was presented, read and approved with the surties therein named, and the Auditor instructed to issue the proper license.

On motion of Commr. Hill it was voted unanimously that \$900.00 val. be taken off from the land of Chas. F. Anderson in S. 30, T. 115, R. 24, for the year 1876, for reason of erroneous assessment.

The report of the Board of Auditors of the County Treasury was read and ordered to be published in both newspapers of this Co.

J. O. Brunia, Co. Surveyor. To surveying a change of the Carver and Henderson road, including plats, field notes, recording and chaining in. \$15.35.

On motion of Commr. Tiffany, the board proceeded to elect a County Physician to serve from date till the 1st day of January, 1878.

After several ballots, the board not being able to agree, moved to lay the matter over till next session.

A petition was presented by Peter Drucke and others praying for the organization of a new school district out of school dist. No 13 in Carver County which was accepted and the commr. of the commr. Dist. ordered to post notice for a hearing thereon.

Bills allowed. Chas. Kohler, to 4 days and mileage July session and 1 day and mileage signing orders. 23 80

Commr. Hill, to 4 days and mileage July session and 1 day examining road, 15 20

Commr. Hill, to 3 days visiting paupers & team to carry a corpse to Carver, 12 00

Commr. Tiffany, to 1 day visiting poor in Benton and 1 day visiting poor from 6 00

Commr. Tiffany, to 4 days and mileage July session, 1 day examining road and 1 day posting school notices and writing notices. 23 85

Commr. Hill, to 1 1/2 days visiting poor, 1 day visiting poor farm and hauling clothes to the poor farm, 10 50

Commr. Hill, to 4 days and mileage July session, 1 day examining road and writing and posting school notices, 21 25

On motion the Board adjourned till the 10th day of August 1877.

Attest: L. STREUKENS, Co. Auditor.

PIC-NIC AND SHOOTING MATCH.—I will have a grand pic nic and shooting match at my grove, on Sunday, July 29th, 1877.

Shooting match to take place at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for a canary bird, and sewing machine. The Chaska brass band will discourse music. F. E. DuToit, Marshal. Chas. Kenning has been employed as floor manager. The Chaska fire company will also be present in full uniform. Come one, come all, and have a good time. JOHN ETZELL, Proprietor.

W. SUEPKE.

H. SUEPKE.

A. MEYER.

HARD TIMES NO MORE!

## NORWOOD NEW STORE

SUEPKE, MEYER & CO.

DRY GOODS, MILLINERY AND FANCY GOOD,

Clothing, Hats, Caps, Boots and Shoes.

Groceries, Crockery, Glass and Wooden Ware.

HARDWARE, NAILS, GLASS, SASH, &c. &c.

LARGE STOCK! FRESH GOODS! LOW PRICES!

Highest Market Price Paid for Wood, Hides, Ginseng, Furs, and all kinds of Produce.

### FOR SALE.

The undersigned has on hand a large stock of all kinds of

WHISKY

and will sell it at the following prices:

Com. Whisky per gallon,	\$1 25
Com. Whisky, better quality,	1 50
Rye Whisky, per gallon,	2 00
Rye Whisky, better quality,	3 00
Bourbon Whisky, 2-6 dollars,	
Kimmel, 3 00, Bitters, 2 00	

JOHN KERKER,

Washington House, Chaska, Minn.

NOTICE OF SALE IN WACONIA.

Notice is hereby given that there will be sold at the residence of David Beck, in the town of Waconia, Carver Co., a second hand Sweep Stake Threshing Machine, complete with horse power and separator. A good bargain guaranteed. Any person wanting anything in said line will please call on David Beck.

Dated July 19th, 1877.

DAVID BECK.

### Report of the Board of Auditors of the Treasury.

To the Honorable Board of County Commissioners of the County of Carver.

In pursuance of the act of the Legislature approved March 10th 1873. We the undersigned respectfully report, that on the Sixteenth day of July A. D. 1877, have duly examined the Books, Vouchers, Orders and Monies in the hands of the County Treasurer of said County of Carver and counted the same, as follows:

Indebtedness of Co. Treasurer to date, \$13174.79	
Money in Carver Co. Bank, \$11194.80	
School orders of the several districts.	
Town orders of Chaska	1598 30
" of Carver	255 37
" of Dahlgreen	162 10
" of Chaska Village	11 60
" of Lakewood	13 50
" of Hancock	1 10
" of Hollywood	30 00
" of Waconia	58 24
" of San Francisco	8 50
" of Chanhassen	7 50

An assortment always on hand. No humbug. No goods sold without profit. Honesty is the best policy.

Notarial business of any kind done. Charges full.

### J. C. OSWALD

WHOLESALE DEALER IN  
Bourbon and Rye Whiskies, Brandies, Gins, Wines and Cigars.  
No 8, Pence Opera House,  
MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.

### OLD SETTLER'S HOME

by  
JAKE BYHOFFER,  
opposite Court House,  
CHASKA - MINN.

A good glass of beer, choice Wines and Liquors and Cigars always on hand. Give me a call take a drink and go away satisfied.

### HARNESS & SADDLERY

BY  
S. B. KOHLER  
WATERTOWN, MINN.

Keeps constantly on hand a large assortment of HARNESS, SADDLERY, BLANKETS, AND TRIMMINGS.  
—Repairing done with neatness and dispatch 17-ly

### The North American

#### Lightning Rods

In use since 1849 gave satisfaction in every case. The strongest and best now in use.  
For sale by FRED ILTIS, Chaska.

### FRED THEOBALD.

Wholesale Dealer in

### Licors & Wines,

Direct Importers of

### RHINE WINES,

871 Third St., between Exchange and Esplanade Streets,  
ST. PAUL MINN.

Repairing promptly attended to. All work guaranteed and charges reasonable.

### New Furniture Store.

OF

JOHN DOLS,

(IN HERALD BLOCK.)

CHASKA MINN.

Repairing promptly attended to. All work guaranteed and charges reasonable.

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## Chaska Bakery,

AND

## Confectionery.











# LOCAL NEWS

## Minneapolis & St. Louis Railway.

Trains going north, depart:	5.20 a. m.
Trains going south, arrive:	10.05 a. m.
Trains going south, depart:	5.15 p. m.
Trains going north, arrive:	9.10 a. m.
Trains going south, depart:	4.10 p. m.
Trains going north, arrive:	8.15 p. m.

## "Dummy" Time Table.

Going East, depart:	8 A. M.
West, arrive:	5 P. M.

## Here and There.

Green apples for sale at the Chaska Bakery, at St. Paul prices.

This county is about clear of hoppers, those that were still in the country took flight last week. We sincerely hope this is the last of them.

Mr. N. Schenck is building a very fine porch in front of his saloon on 2nd street. It is very neat and tasty.

Call at the Drug Store for perfumeries and toilet articles. He has a splendid assortment on hand.

## The Remains of H. A. Child.

The remains of H. A. Child were taken to Glenwood last Wednesday evening on the "Dummy." The relatives of Mr. and Mrs. Child from that town came down on the afternoon train and accompanied the body. The citizens of Chaska turned out en masse and accompanied the remains from the house to the depot. Grief was depicted on the countenances of every one, as Mr. Child was held in the greatest esteem by his immediate neighbors and the community in general. Mrs. Child has also the sincere and hearty sympathy of the people of this village.

## The Crops.

Barley and rye harvested and in stack, and promises more than an average yield. Oats is being cut and is a heavy crop. If the present weather continues, our farmers will commence harvesting their wheat crop next week. From reliable information from the different towns of this county, we can safely place the average yield at 25 bushels per acre.

Courthouse.—The repairs of the county officers are being re-plastered, patched and whitewashed by Mr. Noble, and when he is through, we may expect some improvement in the appearance of the different offices. It was needed some time ago.

Report.—We call the attention of our readers to the report of the "Board of Audit," which appears in another column. The state of our county treasury is in a healthy condition. The exhibit of funds is large just now, but as soon as the different towns have drawn their money, there will be only a few thousand dollars left. Our treasurer Mr. Weger, has a balance in his favor of some \$200.

A Purchase.—Jacob Horner has purchased of H. Stockman of Newwood, the brick building on 2nd street, recently occupied by N. Schenck. He paid \$900 for the same. It is considered a bargain at these figures. We wish Mr. H. success.

Street Improvements.—Our city board have taken right hold and are improving our street in a commendable manner.

They are now at work on 3rd street opposite the court house. They propose to have that hill in better condition in a week or more. Good.

Tax List.—This week concludes the publication of the tax list, and then we shall have more room for reading matter. We shall then try and make the Wagoner still better local paper than ever. We shall set out different correspondents next week and try and get some new ones in localities not at present represented in the Wagoner. In the meantime we will extend our circulation.

Pensioners.—A. C. Lassen and Adolph Bishlin, the two prominent pensioners of our neighboring village of Wagonia, were in town last week.

## Worwood Items.

Messrs. Booth and Berfield are laying the foundation for their new flouring mill, they intend to push the work along as fast as possible. This, when completed, will add greatly to the city buildings.

Albert Meyer, of the firm of Waquet, Meyer & Co. has purchased the dwelling of F. Lange, where he and his newly married wife will take their abode in a few days.

The Rev. Mr. Buhols, of Waseca, preached a very interesting sermon last Sabbath evening.

Business lots in this place are becoming very valuable, there was one purchased on Franklin St. the other day, for the small sum of six hundred dollars.

Farmers in this vicinity have commenced harvesting, and there is no doubt they are reaping their grain with great encouragement, as crops are much better here than they have been for years.

## SHORT STOP.

New advertisements next week and all standing advertisements left out for past two weeks will re-appear.

We shall next week publish a sketch of the life of the late Hon. H. A. Child, of this city. We had not the proper data at hand for the article in time for this issue.

## BENTON, June 18th 1877.

Editor VALLEY HERALD:—The poppy head of the Carver Free Press has replied in his last week's issue and told his 125 subscribers all about it, doesn't he?

He is prepared to prove more irregularities in the Benton P. O. he fails to do it for the present, but gives us the assurance that he will do so when called upon in a proper manner. This should satisfy us, as very likely he is not quite done with his preparation and yet we are bound to wait a while. He claims that the word of his subscriber whose name he does not give us, would be taken any time where the P. M.'s would be taken once.

We might ask who is the talker here, the Editor of the Free Press, or the citizen of Carver County. To the latter, my word was always good enough and I presume is still today, but whether it is good to the former is of no importance whatever. In his bottomless impertinence he wants to treat others with contempt. Good gracious! who is he? If he commands such great respectability we never found it out.

We only know among other remarkable characteristics, that the Editor of the Free Press occasionally gets beastly drunk and then tries to enforce respectability, by means of epithets and other auxiliaries.

We remember that one day last Fall under the influence of liquor he applied coldish to argue more effectual in a store of Carver, but the proprietors of the store did not appreciate his manner exactly, and forwarded him by lightning express to a place where he could inhale a greater amount of fresh air.

This will do for today, and if the Editor wants to have more about his respectability, we are ready to deliver, as we have good and spicy material on hand.

Yours Truly,

M. E. T. Z.

## Watertown Items.

The special election for voting \$15,000 bonds for Railroad, on the 20th inst. resulted in a respectable majority of 45 votes in favor of the bonds; number of votes polled 251. Considerable excitement prevailed on the part of some of the good natrons and others, who were opposed to the enterprise with emphasis; however prospects are favorable that Watertown will not be disappointed by the convenience of a R. R.

The mill dam across the river is at last completed and that it will prove a success is beyond a doubt. Mr. Kenning is deserving much credit in the management of this improvement; in course of a few weeks the waterwheel will be put in, when active operation will commence.

The "White Shirts" received a challenge a few days ago from the Excelsior club, to play a match game of ball on Saturday, the 28th inst. at this place, which was duly accepted; an interesting contest, that will doubtless prove disastrous to the home team, will likely follow.

## Carver Items.

The last fire has brought us the necessity of having a fire company, and we only wish that the present talk may result in something definite.

On Thursday the Leavitt Swiss Bell Ringers gave an entertainment in the town hall which attracted a large crowd, even by the way of the windows. Our city authorities should make it public, that only the doors of the hall should be used as an entrance.

On Friday our youngsters had a grand party in the hall and the few that were there claimed they had an awful nice time.

There was considerable excitement in town last Sunday, occasioned on examining the remains of the Swede, who died some few weeks since. On opening his coffin, it was found that his body was minus one foot, leg and the skull. It is supposed that one of our medical gentlemen done the carrying. His action is heartily condemned by a large class of our fellow citizens.

## Young America Items.

Mr. Henry Fabel is spending a few days in Chicago on business. Fabel and Hendricks, the well known and heavy dealers in tierce hoops are now clearing out their old or last years stock at good paying rates.

The district school closed on the 17th inst. for the summer, both scholars and teacher feel the need of a vacation.

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## Village of Chaska.

Name of Owner.	Lot.	Blk.	Tax.
Warner & James, etc. right	9	1	22
John W. Wilson, lot 1 of 10	10	1	10.50
John W. Wilson, lot 2 of 10	11	1	10.50
John W. Wilson, lot 3 of 10	12	1	10.50
John W. Wilson, lot 4 of 10	13	1	10.50
John W. Wilson, lot 5 of 10	14	1	10.50
John W. Wilson, lot 6 of 10	15	1	10.50
John W. Wilson, lot 7 of 10	16	1	10.50
John W. Wilson, lot 8 of 10	17	1	10.50
John W. Wilson, lot 9 of 10	18	1	10.50
John W. Wilson, lot 10 of 10	19	1	10.50

## Village of Carver.

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John W. Wilson, lot 2 of 10	11	1	10.50
John W. Wilson, lot 3 of 10	12	1	10.50
John W. Wilson, lot 4 of 10	13	1	10.50
John W. Wilson, lot 5 of 10	14	1	10.50
John W. Wilson, lot 6 of 10	15	1	10.50
John W. Wilson, lot 7 of 10	16	1	10.50
John W. Wilson, lot 8 of 10	17	1	10.50
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## Village of Wagonia.

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John W. Wilson, lot 1 of 10	10	1	10.50
John W. Wilson, lot 2 of 10	11	1	10.50
John W. Wilson, lot 3 of 10	12	1	10.50
John W. Wilson, lot 4 of 10	13	1	10.50
John W. Wilson, lot 5 of 10	14	1	10.50
John W. Wilson, lot 6 of 10	15	1	10.50
John W. Wilson, lot 7 of 10	16	1	10.50
John W. Wilson, lot 8 of 10	17	1	10.50
John W. Wilson, lot 9 of 10	18	1	10.50
John W. Wilson, lot 10 of 10	19	1	10.50

## Village of Young America.

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John W. Wilson, lot 1 of 10	10	1	10.50
John W. Wilson, lot 2 of 10	11	1	10.50
John W. Wilson, lot 3 of 10	12	1	10.50
John W. Wilson, lot 4 of 10	13	1	10.50
John W. Wilson, lot 5 of 10	14	1	10.50
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John W. Wilson, lot 2 of 10	10.50	10.50
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John W. Wilson, lot 4 of 10	10.50	10.50
John W. Wilson, lot 5 of 10	10.50	10.50
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John W. Wilson, lot 7 of 10	10.50	10.50
John W. Wilson, lot 8 of 10	10.50	10.50
John W. Wilson, lot 9 of 10	10.50	10.50
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## Village of Watertown.

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John W. Wilson, lot 1 of 10	10	1	10.50
John W. Wilson, lot 2 of 10	11	1	10.50
John W. Wilson, lot 3 of 10	12	1	10.50
John W. Wilson, lot 4 of 10	13	1	10.50
John W. Wilson, lot 5 of 10	14	1	10.50
John W. Wilson, lot 6 of 10	15	1	10.50
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## Village of Young America.

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## LOCAL NEWS

### Minneapolis & St. Louis Railway.

Trains going north, depart:  
 6:30 a. m.  
 10:45 a. m.  
 1:15 p. m.  
 3:40 p. m.  
 6:15 p. m.

### "Dummy" Time Table.

Going East, depart:  
 8 A. M.  
 1 P. M.  
 4 P. M.

The train connects at Shakopee with  
 Sioux City and St. Paul trains.

### Here and There.

Green apples for sale at the Chaska  
 Bakery, at St. Paul prices.

This country is about clear of hoppers,  
 those that were still in the country took  
 flight last week. We sincerely hope this  
 is the last of them.

Mr. N. Schenck is building a very fine  
 porch in front of his house on 2nd street.  
 It is very neat and tasty.

Call at the Drug Store for perfumery  
 and toilet articles. He has a splendid as-  
 sortment on hand.

### The Remains of H. A. Child.

The remains of H. A. Child were taken  
 to Glenwood last Wednesday evening on the  
 "Dummy." The relatives of Mr. and Mrs.  
 Child from that town came down on the  
 afternoon train and accompanied the body.  
 The citizens of Chaska turned out en masse  
 and accompanied the remains from the  
 house to the depot. Grief was depicted on  
 the countenances of every one, as Mr. Child  
 was held in the greatest esteem by his  
 immediate neighbors and the community  
 in general. Mrs. Child has also the sym-  
 pathy of the people of this village.

### The Crops.

Barley and rye are harvested and in stock,  
 and promises more than an average yield.  
 Oats are being cut and are a heavy crop.

If the present weather continues, our  
 farmers will commence harvesting their  
 wheat crop next week. From reliable in-  
 formation from the different towns of this  
 county, we can safely place the average  
 yield at 25 bushels per acre.

Courthouse.—The rooms of the county  
 officers are being re-plastered, patched  
 and whitewashed by Mr. Noble, and when  
 he is through, we may expect some im-  
 provement in the appearance of the differ-  
 ent offices. It was needed some time ago.

Report.—We call the attention of our  
 readers to the report of the "Board of Au-  
 ditors," which appears in another column.  
 The state of our county treasury is in a  
 healthy condition. The exhibit of funds  
 is large just now, but as soon as the differ-  
 ent taxes have been drawn their money, there  
 will be only a few thousand dollars left.  
 Our treasurer, Mr. Wagon, has a balance in  
 his favor of some \$2,000.

A PITCHER.—Jacob Horner has pur-  
 chased of H. Stokman of Newwood, the  
 brick building on 2nd street, recently oc-  
 cupied by St. Schenck. He paid \$900  
 for the same. It is considered a bargain  
 at close figures. We wish Mr. H. success.

Street Improvements.—Our city board  
 have taken right hold and are improving  
 our street in a commendable manner.  
 They are now at work on 3rd street op-  
 posite the court house. They propose to  
 pave the hill in better condition in a week  
 or more. Good.

Tax List.—This week concludes the  
 publication of the tax list, and then we  
 shall have more room for reading matter.  
 We shall then try and make the MINNEAPOLIS  
 still better local paper than ever. We  
 shall try our different correspondents next  
 week and try and get some new ones in lo-  
 calities up at present, represented in the  
 MINNEAPOLIS. In the meantime will our friends  
 throughout the country try and extend  
 our circulation.

PERSONAL.—A. C. Lassen and Adolph  
 Biskup, the two prominent merchants of  
 our neighboring village of Waconia, were  
 in town last week.  
 Chadderton of Jordan and S. Fowler  
 of Henderson, attorneys at law, were in  
 town last week, looking over the field with  
 a view of locating in our city, for the prac-  
 tice of their profession.

### Worwood Items.

Messrs. Booth and Berfield are laying  
 the foundation for their new flouring mill,  
 they intend to push the work along as fast  
 as possible. They, when completed, will  
 add greatly to the milling facilities of the  
 town.  
 Albert Meyer, of the firm of Shupe,  
 Meyer & Co. has purchased the dwelling  
 of F. Lange, where he and his newly mar-  
 ried wife will take their abode in a few  
 days.

The Rev. Mr. Buhols, of Waconia, preach-  
 ed a very interesting sermon last Sab-  
 bath evening.

Business lots in this place are becoming  
 very valuable, there was one purchased on  
 Franklin St. the other day, for the small  
 sum of six hundred dollars.

Farmers in this vicinity have commen-  
 ced harvesting, and there is no doubt they  
 are reaping their grain with great encour-  
 agement, as crops are much better here  
 than they have been for years.

### SHORT STOP.

New advertisements next week and  
 all standing advertisements left out  
 for past two weeks will re-appear.

We shall next week publish a sketch  
 of the life of late Hon. H. A. Child, of  
 this city. We had not the proper data at  
 hand for the article in time for this issue.

### BENTON, June 14th 1877.

Editor VALLEY HERALD:—The poppy  
 head of the Carver Free Press has replied  
 in his last week's issue and told his 125  
 subscribers all about it, doesn't he?

He is prepared to prove more irregu-  
 larities in the Benton P. O. he fails to do it  
 for the present, but gives us the assurance  
 that he will do so when called upon in a  
 proper manner. This should satisfy us, as  
 very likely he is not quite done with his  
 preparation and yet have not acquired the  
 proper manner yet, so we are bound to  
 wait a while. He claims that the word of  
 his subscriber whose name he does not  
 give us, would be taken ten times where  
 the P. M.'s would be taken once. We  
 might ask who is the talker here, the Ed-  
 itor of the Free Press, or the citizen of  
 Carver County. To the latter, my word  
 was always good enough and I presume  
 is still so today, but whether it is good to  
 the former is of no importance whatever. In  
 his bottomless impudence he wants to  
 treat others with contempt. Good gra-  
 tions! who is he if he commands such  
 great respectability we never found it out.

We only know among other remarkable  
 characteristics, that the Editor of the Free  
 Press occasionally gets beastly drunk and  
 then tries to enforce respectability, by  
 means of colic and other such ailments.  
 We remember that one day last fall un-  
 der the influence of liquor he applied col-  
 ic to argue more effectual in a store of  
 Carver, but the proprietors of the store  
 did not appreciate his manner exactly, and  
 forwarded him by lightning express to a  
 place where he could inhale a greater a-  
 mount of fresh air.

This will do for today, and if the Ed-  
 itor wants to have some more about his  
 respectability, we are ready to deliver, as  
 we have good and spicy material on hand.  
 Yours Truly,  
 M. E. T.

### Watertown Items.

The special election for voting \$15,000  
 bonds for Railroad, on the 20th inst., re-  
 sulted in a respectable majority of 45 votes  
 in favor of the bonds; number of votes pre-  
 sent 253. Considerable excitement prevail-  
 ed on the part of some of the good matrons  
 and others, who were opposed to the en-  
 terprise with enthusiasm; however prospects  
 are favorable that Watertown will at no  
 distant day be blessed by the convenience  
 of a R. R.

The mill dam across the river is at last  
 completed and that it will prove a success  
 is beyond a doubt. Mr. Kenning is making  
 use of much credit in the management of  
 this improvement; in course of a few weeks  
 the waterwheel will be put in, when active  
 operation will commence.

The "White Shirts" received a challenge  
 a few days ago from the Excelsior club, to  
 play a match game of ball on Saturday,  
 the 28th inst. at this place, which was dis-  
 tinctly accepted; an interesting contest, that  
 will doubtless prove disastrous to the home  
 team, will likely follow.

### Carver Items.

The last fire has brought us the neces-  
 sity of having a fire company, and we only  
 wish that the present talk may result in  
 something definite.

On Thursday the Leavitt Swiss Bell  
 Ringers gave an entertainment in the town  
 hall which attracted a large crowd, even  
 by the way of the windows. Our city au-  
 thorities should make it public, that only  
 the doors of the hall should be used as an  
 entrance.

On Friday our youngsters had a grand  
 party in the hall, and the few that were  
 there claimed they had an awful nice time.

There was considerable excitement in  
 town last Sunday, occasioned on examining  
 the remains of the Swede, who died some  
 few weeks since. On opening his coffin, it  
 was found that his body was minus one  
 foot, leg and the skull. It is supposed that  
 one of our medical gentlemen done the car-  
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